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S.B. No. 1723

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the award of grants from the skills development fund.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 303.003, Labor Code, is amended by adding Subsection (b-3) to read as follows:

(b-3) Funds awarded under this section, other than funds awarded under Subsection (b-2), may be awarded only to support job-training purposes that address the needs of high-demand occupations, as identified by:

(1) the applicable local workforce development board's regional targeted or high-demand occupations list; or

(2) the commission's most recent growth occupations report under Section 302.019.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2019.